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Richard C. SPAGNA, et al.

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XX Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed February 20, 2001.

XX Declaration and Power of Attorney.

XX Request for Corrected Filing Receipt and copy of Filing Receipt (with corrections).

XX Assignment recordation sheet with Assignment to International Business Machines Corporation.

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Respectfully submitted,

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It is respectfully requested that a corrected Filing Receipt be issued in connection with the above-identified application, in order to correct the following:

In the Applicant(s) section of the Filing Receipt, change "Bica" to --Boca--. Also in the Applicant(s) section of the Filing Receipt, change "Zhao Ting" to --Ting Zhao--. A copy of the official filing receipt with the changes in red is also attached.

Kindly forward the corrected Filing Receipt to the undersigned attorney of record.

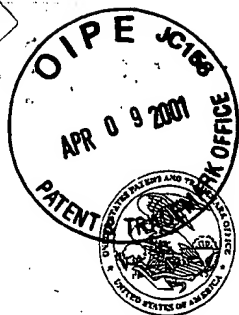
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$160.
 - \$160 for 2 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1000.

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